

The Director of Central Intelligence

Washington, D. C. 20505

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Dear Herb,

I had a nice talk with [redacted] who was most agreeable, saying he regretted losing your services but recognized the value of what you would be doing. He said he would discuss the matter with [redacted] but indicated his inclination to extend the leave of absence for any time you wanted within reason in the hope of getting you back.

Yours,

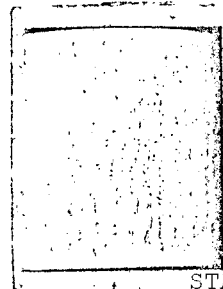
*Bill*

William J. Casey



*Perhaps we can get together  
some time over Thanksgiving holidays  
I'll be at [redacted]  
until Sunday afternoon*

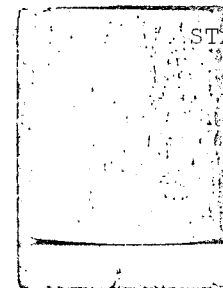
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